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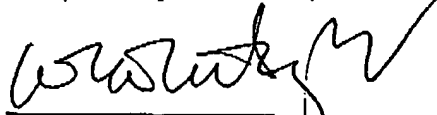
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2. Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application and when a further Office Action can be expected.

Respectfully submitted,



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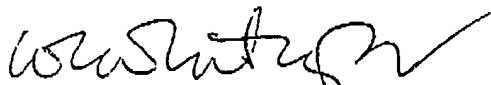
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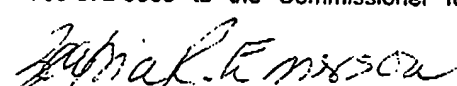
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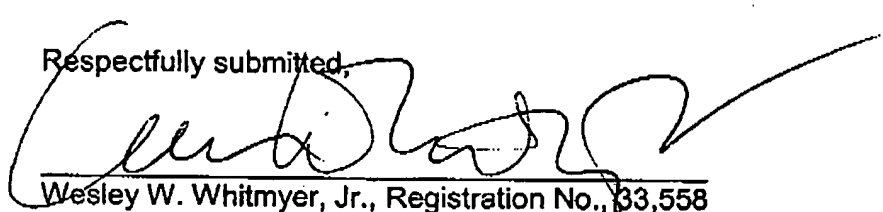
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